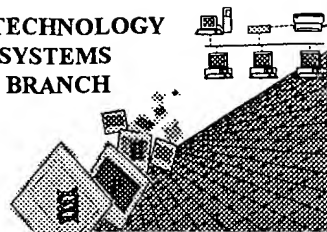


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 This sequence is intentionally skipped

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 <210> sequence id number
 <400> sequence id number
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 Per 1.823 of Sequence Rules, use of <220>-<223> is MANDATORY if n's or Xaa's are present.
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- 10 Invalid <213>
 Response Per 1.823 of Sequence Rules, the only valid <213> responses are: Unknown, Artificial Sequence, or scientific name (Genus/species). <220>-<223> section is required when <213> response is Unknown or is Artificial Sequence
- 11 Use of <220>
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2 FLORA, MICHAEL
3 KLINMAN, DENNIS M.
4 <120> TITLE OF INVENTION: IMMUNOSTIMULATORY RNA/DNA HYBRID MOLECULES
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Seq#:9

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<213> Artificial Sequence

<220>
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DNA/RNA oligonucleotide

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where is sequence 9?
<210> 10

Per 1.823 of sequence rules, besides
explaining a combined
DNA/RNA sequence,
give
source

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genetic
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